

OVER TWO MILLION HAVE ATTENDED FAIR

Director General Martin Gives Out
Number of Admissions for
the First Time.

CROWDS GROWING LARGER DAILY

Many Predict that Attendance During
Months of October and November
Will be Greater Than Total for Pre-
ceding Five Months—Rumors Not
Discussed.

Since the gates were thrown open
on the 26th of April, 2,198,173 people
have attended the Jamestown Ex-
position.

These figures were given out last
night by the new director general, Mr.
Alvah H. Martin, and for the first time
since the opening. This total in-
cludes the admission from the opening
up to and including September 30.

During the first week in this month
the attendance was large, and it is
believed by many that the number of
admissions during the months of Oct-
ober and November will exceed the
total for the other five months of the
Exposition's life. It is proved to be
the case, nearly five million people will
have visited the Tercentennial when
the closing date arrives.

Director General Martin said last
night, when he gave out the figures,
that he has come to the conclusion
that it was time for the public to
know just what the attendance had
been.

Exposition officials are not discus-
sing the report that the government
probably will take charge of the Ter-
centennial, but it is generally be-
lieved that nothing of the kind will be
attempted.

NEW MEMBERS OF SCHOOL BOARD QUALIFY TONIGHT

President Puckett Serves as Presi-
dent Throughout the Pres-
ent Term.

When the board of school trustees
meets in regular session in the high
school assembly hall tonight, Col. E.
W. Huffman and Mr. Charles R. Fel-
lows, the newly elected members of
the board, will take their oaths of
office before Superintendent of Schools
W. C. Morton, and become full fledged
trustees. Both men have qualified.

President W. E. Puckett, whose term
of office expired last June, was re-
elected by the city council, and he
will serve as president of the board
throughout the remainder of this term.
So far as is known, there is nothing
of especial importance to come
before the board tonight, but there is
a large amount of routine work to
be disposed of. Superintendent Morton's
report on the enrollment of
pupils is expected to be an interesting
one and will show that the school
has the largest enrollment in its
history.

IN CIRCUIT COURT.

W. H. Johnson Gets Judgment Against
A. P. Price.

The case of W. H. Johnson against
A. P. Price was heard yesterday in
the circuit court before Judge Black-
stone. W. H. Johnson sued A. P.
Price for the value of seventeen logs
that had been sold to the latter by
a third party, the plaintiff claiming
that the sale was illegal. A verdict
for the plaintiff was returned.
The case of W. R. Scull against the
Citizens Railway Light and Power Co.
will be heard today, the plaintiff claim-
ing damages for mules alleged to have
been killed by the railway company.

MEMORIAL "REST HOUSE" PRESENTED TO P. V. A. SOCIETY

Mrs. McLean, President General of
Daughters of Revolution, Makes
Address at Jamestown.

At Jamestown Island yesterday, the
Daughters of the American Revolution
transferred to the Society for the Pres-
ervation of Virginia Antiquities a
memorial "Rest house," built under
appropriations by the Continental Con-
gress of the Daughters of the Ameri-
can Revolution, for the comfort of
"pilgrims" to the cradle of the nation,
where the band of cavaliers founded
the first permanent English settle-
ment in America three hundred years
ago.

The transfer was with appropriate
exercises, in the presence of a large
company of New York and Virginia
Daughters of the Revolution, and rep-
resentatives of the Virginia Antiqui-
ties Society.
Mrs. Donald McLean, of New York,
president general of the Daughters of
the American Revolution, made the
presentation address.

Messrs. Oldewurtel & Regan, cloth-
iers, have been awarded the contract
for supplying the Old Point Comfort
College students with uniforms. It.

Notice.

Patrons of the Newport News Light
and Water Company are hereby re-
minded that water bills must be paid
by the 10th inst. All delinquents on
the 11th inst., will have their supply
cut off pursuant to notice given all
consumers. Newport News Light and
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Social-Personal

Rev. T. S. Ounaway, pastor of the
Smithfield Baptist church, and Rev.
D. C. Henning, D. D., secretary of
the educational commission of the
General Baptist Association of Vir-
ginia, left for their homes yester-
day, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. C.
W. Haines, 1136 Twenty-third street.

Mrs. M. E. Taylor and son Aubyn,
of Jetersville, Va., are the guests of
Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. M. W. Gayle,
124 Thirtieth street.

Mr. W. J. Wyatt, of Accomac coun-
ty, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs.
Judson Mapp, 2315 Chestnut avenue.

Mrs. Hicks, who has been the guest
of her sister, Mrs. John Jackson, 409
Twenty-eighth street, has returned to
her home in Mathews county.

Miss Majorie Phelps, of 1022 Twen-
ty-fifth street, had as her guest Miss
Nellie Beard, of Amherst county.

Misses Rose and Anne Fenimore are
attending the horse show at Rich-
mond.

Miss Mildred Evans has returned
from Norfolk, where she has been the
guest of friends.

Mrs. J. Webster Springfield, of Bal-
timore, is the guest of relatives in
the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Phillips have
as their guest in North End, General
W. H. Wherry, U. S. A.

The Misses Kelln have as their
guests on the Boulevard, their cousin,
Miss Gertrude Klein, of Philadelphia.

Mr. Charles F. Wilkins has returned
to Norfolk, after spending a week with
his mother, Mrs. H. L. Wilkins, in
this city.

Miss Grace Wilber, of Washington,
D. C., is visiting relatives here.

Miss Emily Thomas has returned
from Buffalo, N. Y., where she has
been visiting her parents.

Miss Margaret Reese, who has been
visiting relatives in Baltimore, has
returned home.

Miss Hilda Pierman has returned
from a trip through the North.

Mr. W. J. Blackwell, of Calhoun
county, is the guest of Mr. W. Lee
Hanger in East End.

Brazor Leaves Dock.

Having had her propeller blades in-
stalled and her hull below the wa-
terline cleaned and painted, the new
Mallory liner Brazor was floated out
of dry dock No. 2, at the shipyard,
yesterday. The vessel will be given a
dock trial within the next few
weeks and probably will have her final
trip the latter part of this month or
early in November.

New Steamer Docked.

The new steamer Maryland, of the
New York, Philadelphia and Norfolk
route, was docked in dry dock No.
2, at the shipyard yesterday to under-
go slight repairs to her hull.

Tug Richmond Repairing.
The tug Richmond, of the Chesapeake
Bay, is undergoing repairs at the
shipyard. The vessel was slightly
damaged in a collision in Chesapeake
bay recently.

Coal for Bremerton Yard.
The British steamer Queen Eliza-
beth, Captain Rifeon, sailed yesterday
for the United States coaling station
at the Bremerton navy yard. Pudget
Sound with a cargo of 5,627 tons of
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SEARCHING FOR GILLET

Detectives Think Fugitive Is Hiding
In Norfolk.

GED MOTHER WENT WITH HIM

Three Hours After Cutting W. B.
Dixon's Throat, Gillett Crossed
Hampton Roads and It Was Sup-
posed That He Was in Portsmouth.

W. F. Gillett, who cut W. B. Dixon's
throat almost from ear to ear at 228
Forty-fourth street Tuesday evening,
is still at large. The police detec-
tives know his whereabouts, however,
and expect to capture him today.
In company with his aged mother,
Gillett left this city about three hours
after the cutting, and the police be-
lieved Tuesday night that he had gone
to the home of his sister in Port-
smouth. It developed yesterday, how-
ever, that his sister does not live in
Portsmouth at this time and that Gil-
lett and his mother are staying in
Norfolk.

Although Dixon is still in a serious
condition, the attending physician,
Dr. C. S. Butts, says that the man has
a fighting chance.

Dixon had lost considerable blood
both from the wound in his neck and
the wound under his left shoulder be-
fore the physician reached him, and
for that reason his condition probably
is more serious than it would have
been had he had instant attention.
Tuesday night the police depart-
ment had Dixon's name as Dixon,
and the name of the fugitive was re-
corded as Gillett.

THEATRICAL

"The Tourists," the offering of Sam
S. and Lee Shubert at the Academy
of Music last night, is one of the most
enjoyable musical comedies seen here
in several seasons. The book, for
which R. H. Burnside is responsible,
contains many bright and witty lines
and a number of tuneful and catchy
songs are to be found in the score.

To say that the production pleased
the fair sized audience that was gath-
ered in the playhouse would be put-
ting it rather mildly. Nearly all of
the musical numbers were vigorously
applauded and hearty laughter greeted
the funny lines and situations.

Most of the comedy work fell to the
part of Eddie Garvie, and he handled
it in a capable and comical style.

Mr. Garvie was supported by a ca-
pable and well balanced corps of prin-
cipals. Miss Leonora Watson who has
the principal female role the Princess
Challin, has a sweet and pure sopra-
no voice of considerable strength, and
she was forced to respond to many en-
cores. Miss Louise Barthel also has
a good soprano voice and she shared
honors with Miss Watson.

The chorus was an exceptionally
strong and well drilled one, most of
the girls being pretty and shapely.

The production was handsomely
staged, the settings for the two acts
of the piece being exceptionally pret-
ty. The costumes were in keeping
with the general excellence of the pro-
duction.

"Mr. Blue Beard," a musical comedy
by J. H. Woods and Arthur Collins,
will be the attraction at the Academy
of Music tonight.

The Donna Seymour company is said
to have a capable cast for the produc-
tion and promises an evening of fun,
music and frivolity.

New scenic effects and costumes are
said to have been provided for this
season.

"Peggy From Paris."

"Peggy From Paris," George Ade's
musical play, will be the attraction
at the Academy of Music tomorrow,
Friday night, with Miss Helen Byron
as Peggy.

The very mention of Mr. Ade's name
as the author is proof of the laugh-
ter creating element of the piece.
There are a lot of characters and funny
complications from first to last. In-
deed, "Peggy From Paris" is a mirth
maker. All the persons in the play
and everything they say and do is
amusing. Then there is the music,
which was written by William Lo-
ralme.

Take a succession of pretty airs
and have them sung to a score of
pretty girls in strikingly picturesque
costumes and there is something
worth listening to and seeing. Add to
this an interesting story, a company
of comedians, a fund of comedy, and
there is about all one could ask for
in a musical play.

Miss Byron is said to make the
prettiest "Peggy" of them all.

"The Three of Us."
About Miss Carlotta Nilsson in "The
Three of Us," the Baltimore Sun last
week said.

"Imagine a drama so infinitely
plausible and realistic and the acting
so unceasingly and incredibly natural
that it seizes one, entralls one and
convinces one in spite of oneself that
it is all veritable actual and true!
That is a fair description of 'The
Three of Us.' No greater praise could
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into the lives of persons he knows.
And he will see acting so extraordi-
narily simple and effective that it will
leave you gasping in astonishment.

"A detailed description of the play
and exhaustive consideration of the
acting are alike impossible. The
piece must be seen by all who pretend
to an appreciation for the art of the
stage. Its performance here is suffi-
cient to wipe out the memory of many
weary evenings of run-in, balderdash
and mere theatricality.

Miss Nilsson will be at the Acad-
emy of Music next Monday night.

"Peaceful Valley," an idyl of New
England life, in which the late of
Smith Russell achieved such remark-
able success is being revived this sea-
son by E. K. Martin, who is said to
have given the play a massive produc-
tion.

Edward Saxon, a widely known
character comedian, is to play the role
of Hosea Howe, and Carson Bradford,
a young southern actor, is assuming
the leading juvenile role.

Wrecking Tug Rescue Here.
The Merritt-Chapman Wrecking tug
Rescue arrived here yesterday morn-
ing and raised the small launch which
fell from the army transport Meade in
the harbor Tuesday afternoon. The
launch was only slightly damaged and
was taken to pier F, where the neces-
sary repairs will be made.

Advocate's Parcel Post.

(By Associated Press.)
ATLANTA, A. G. 9.—In his annual
address to the convention of the
National Rural Free Delivery Advo-
cates Association at its session today, Presi-
dent Paul Lindsay, of Georgia, strong-
ly advocated a parcels post system
in connection with the United States
post office department.

Chicago's Most Beautiful Woman.

Sidney C. Love, the New York and
Chicago Stock Exchange broker who
was divorced two years ago from Mrs.
Minerva Cool Love, is to marry Miss
Marjorie Burnes, one of the society
leaders of Lake Shore drive, Chicago.
The young woman has been called by
Sir Philip Burnes-Jones "the most
beautiful woman in Chicago." Mr.
Love's first wife was recently mar-
ried.—New York Dispatch in Wash-
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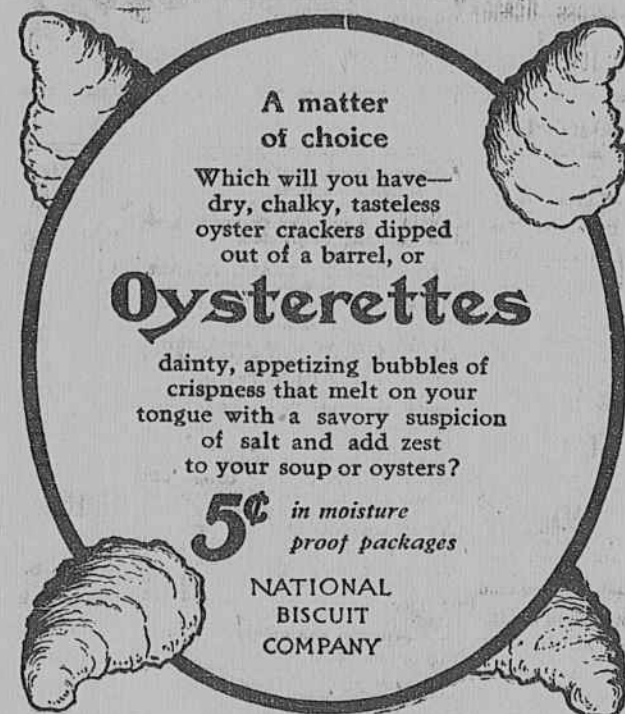
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"You lied, then?"
"That would be a question in casu-
istry. I was well off all right, but
didn't know it."—Puck.



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